

LETTERS FROM TWO STATES

Windham County
CENTRAL VILLAGE

Miss Edith Dyer Crooks Ankle Bone In Fall—The Week's Happenings—Supt. Chapman Recovers.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Metcalf have commenced keeping house in the tenement recently vacated by Harry Stathrop.

Miss Edith Dyer is confined to the house, having tripped at her home, falling and cracking her ankle bone.

The Colonial orchestra was in Moosup Saturday evening where they played at a dance.

Mrs. Roy George has been in Putnam visiting friends.

Charles Fletcher spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Providence.

Albert Tillinghast has recovered.

Mrs. John E. Vaughn and son, Stanley, of Norwich visited Mrs. Vaughn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Vaughn, Sunday.

Mrs. Isabel Seguin has been in Putnam visiting at Frank Thayer's.

Miss Alice Kendall of Putnam spent Sunday at her home.

Samuel Cooper of Brooklyn attended church here, Sunday.

Alphonse Couchane of Hartford, where he is in business, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colbert Couchane.

Harry Stathrop, clerk at George Loring's store, has been off duty a few days on account of illness.

Frederick Brewster, formerly owner of the store, has been assisting during his absence.

The King's Daughters met at their rooms Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph Gilleran, clerk at the post office in Danville, visited local relatives Saturday.

Mrs. John Denis has been very ill. Superintendent John L. Chapman has recovered from his illness and has returned to his duties at the High school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greene of Washington have been visiting Mr. Greene's sister, Mrs. Frank Edgerly.

Mrs. Valentine Burdick of Moosup and Mrs. Douglas of Sterling Hill visited relatives here Thursday.

Ella Huntington has recovered from her second attack of grip.

Mr. McGuinness will occupy the basement tenement under Laban Adams' store.

At Norwich Ball.

Miss Elizabeth Elliott was in Norwich Monday evening, and attended the Charity ball.

Mrs. John Martin is seriously ill. Miss Alice Greene of Millville, R. I., is attending school here. She is staying at the home of Frank Edgerly.

Frank H. Tillinghast has returned from Auburn, Mass., where he has been visiting his youngest daughter, Miss Helen Tillinghast, who attends Laselle seminary.

Margaret, daughter of George R. Torrey is ill.

Archibald Buchanan of Mansfield Center was a visitor Monday.

James Wheeler of Worcester has been a visitor in town recently.

Mrs. Allie Kelley has been called here from her home in Exeter, N. H., by the critical condition of her sister, Mrs. John Shelley.

Death of Charles Cole Results From Burns—Was Found Dead on Floor.

Mrs. Lewis Gates of East Hartford was the week-end guest of Mrs. Bertha Bishop.

Clarence Babcock has secured work in Hartford.

James Burton of Hartford was called here on account of the death of his mother, which occurred last week.

Mrs. Fred Parker and Mrs. Arthur Chamberland were Norwich visitors, recently.

Burns Cause Death.

Charles Cole of Oneco was burned in an unknown way, so severely as to cause his death. His body was found lying upon the floor of his home, where he lived, and there is no clue as to how the fire started.

Miss Mary Douglas was a caller on Sterling Hill, Sunday last.

Rev. and Mrs. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shippee were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frink.

WINDHAM

Attendance of Thirteen at Missionary Meeting—George Potter to Manage His Father's Farm.

The Woman's Missionary society met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Grace Bates. Although it was an unpleasant day and the walking bad, there were 13 present.

Mrs. Peguin gave an interesting report of the 30th annual meeting of the Connecticut Home Missionary union in New Haven which she attended. While the ladies sewed, the fourth chapter of The King's Highway was given by Mrs. Peguin. Mrs. John Potter, Mrs. F. E. Gault, Mrs. C. Lathrop and Mrs. Arnold. Tea was served by Miss Bates and Mrs. A. E. Weldon.

Mrs. M. R. Plumb is ill with grip and in the care of a nurse.

W. S. Chappell and Lawrence Miner of New London were in town on Sunday.

St. Patrick's Day Supper.

The committee in charge of the supper to be served by the men of the

CHAPLIN

Happenings of the Week—Clitus Bradford Leaves Hospital.

Edward C. Burdick is serving as juror in the superior court at Putnam.

Miss Swift of Hartford, who has been visiting Mrs. Emily J. Ross for some time, was taken ill, but is recovering.

Miss Ethel Howard, a teacher in Hartford, was home Sunday and assisted in the church choir.

Raised 24 Calves.

Winfield J. Phillips, who raised 24 calves the past year, is selling them out.

Charles Tryon of Willimantic, who owned the Terry farm in town, sold it the past week to Lebanon purchasers.

Employed at North Windham.

Mr. Mallory of South Chaplin is working in the Hartson machine shop in North Windham. Several men in town are working there also.

The ladies of West Hartford have been visiting at E. M. Russell's.

Miss Ida L. Church is substituting as teacher in the church during the illness of Miss Curtis.

Albert L. Church is in feeble health.

Returns from Hospital.

Clitus Bradford, who has been at St. Joseph's hospital for treatment since last October, returned Wednesday to the home of his sister, Mrs. W. B. Gallup.

Mrs. Arthur Williams returned Monday from a visit with friends in New Haven.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. William Russell, who has been ill, has been cared for by a graduate nurse.

Harry Wells was in Providence over Sunday.

Mr. Smith has moved to the Olsen house in South Woodstock.

Mr. Burk of Boston has moved into one of H. Bowen's houses.

George Willard has purchased the Hickey place in Pomfret.

Charles Lowe has been suffering from an attack of grip.

The young people from this place attended the academy social last Friday evening.

The program for the next grange meeting is in charge of the past masters.

WESTFORD

The funeral of Mrs. Andrew Lee was held at the home of J. P. Saturday.

Rev. S. Bugbee of Warrenville, officiating. Burial was in the family lot in Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barlow and little daughter are in Windham, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Eastman.

The funeral of Mike Polovitch, who died suddenly Monday, of acute indigestion, was held from St. Edward's church, Stafford Springs, Wednesday.

The heavy snowfall Tuesday night and Wednesday made working in the woods impossible, so the saw-mills have been shut down this week.

Tolland County

COLUMBIA

Fun at Mock Town Meetings. Held by Grange—Early Chicks—Whist Club Entertained.

The Grange held its meeting Wednesday evening and a Mock Town Meeting was the feature. The various matters for consideration were thoroughly discussed and disposed of as follows: First, to see if they will vote to prohibit driving across the public common except on regularly constructed highways. This was voted on a resolution covering the matter and prohibiting all driving across the Town Common except upon a regularly constructed highway. A considerable discussion of the resolution was passed by a unanimous vote.

Relative to the issue of Town Bonds for \$15,000 to take up the floating indebtedness of the town and to pay for state highway construction, etc., was taken up and a lengthy resolution covering and favoring the entire matter was offered by Judge D. A. Lyman, and after discussion it was adopted by a large majority vote.

The third clause: "To see if they will vote to enlarge the Town Hall," was taken up. The following motion was offered: That the selectmen are hereby authorized and instructed to procure and cause to be installed in the town building known as Yeoman's hall, in the town of Columbia, a hall for the use of the selectmen to hold their meetings, with a view of making it of sufficient size and of sufficient capacity to hold a large number of people, and to allow the room to be quickly and safely entered, and to present such plans and specifications to a future town meeting, with their recommendations, for consideration and action.

This was passed by unanimous vote and recommended that the matter be brought before the next regular town meeting. The discussion of these various matters was interesting and although it was only a Mock Town Meeting it served as a pointer to what at least some of the legal voters think about some of the matters that were considered.

Taken to Hospital.

S. B. West who has been ill for the past two weeks was taken to St. Joseph's hospital for treatment on Friday of last week.

Incubator Chicks Out.

Madison Woodward of Merrythought Poultry farm, has taken his first hatch from the incubator and some 200 chicks are happy in the brooder house. This number being greatly increased as the season advances.

Merrythought farm has a unique trade mark: An egg encircled by wishbones.

A hen owned by Clayton E. Hunt was given 12 eggs for hatching and after 3 week period the donor was left with 13 chickens. Pretty good for a February hatch.

Members of the Grange Dramatic club who are preparing to present a play met for rehearsal Saturday evening at the home of William M. Wolf.

Next Wednesday evening is "visitors' night at the Grange. Members of the annual meeting are expected to be present and will furnish the programme for the evening.

Storm Prevents Meeting.

The Ladies Aid society was to have had its annual meeting at the parsonage Wednesday afternoon, but owing to unfavorable weather no meeting was held.

Mrs. Fred A. Abell who was at St. Joseph's hospital several weeks for treatment has returned home.

Rev. T. N. Owen recently purchased a second baby chick from Merrythought.

STAFFORD

Universalist Sunday School Social—Funeral of Mrs. Joseph Burleigh.

Miss Alice D. Webster is visiting friends in Rockville.

Alca Sands has purchased a steam sawmill and will use it in his lumber business.

The topic for Y. P. C. T. next Sunday evening is Responsibility. Leader, Paul Bonnell.

Miss Ethel Robinson of Salem, Mass., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

Miss Margaret Glover has become one of a partnership of three in a millinery establishment known as The Wedge, at Quincy, Mass.

The teachers and students of the Universalist Sunday school will hold their second social next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Each member may invite one guest. Entertainment has been arranged for both children and adults. Members are practicing making "shadow" hand pictures of rabbits, dogs, etc.

Funeral of Mrs. Burleigh.

Melissa Lenora Ruby Burleigh, 69, died at the Johnson hospital last Thursday. She had been an invalid with rheumatism and Bright's disease. Born in Wales, she came to Stafford as a girl when her mother married.

Charles Russell of Stafford street, in May 19, 1872. Miss Ruby was married to the late Joseph Burleigh by Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Puffer, officiating. The bereaved were Mrs. W. J. Burleigh, Charles Phillips, Linus Puffer, Mary Hatch and Oscar Cook.

Four quartets from the Baptist church sang two selections. Burial was in the family lot at Stafford.

The Baptist church has arranged with Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Cornell to conduct the services for them next Sunday. Mr. Cornell is a well known evangelist and Mrs. Cornell is said to be a pleasing and effective gospel singer.

The Stafford Ministerial association will meet Tuesday afternoon with Rev. and Mrs. L. Rees.

On the town hall there was a lively evening last week Thursday when there was a double headed in basketball. The Pinney had a very close game, the score being 8 to 6 in favor of the Stars.

STORRS

Rev. Marshall Dawson, the New Pastor, Formally Welcomed—Fraternity Day at Tea Room.

Rev. Marshall Dawson took up his pastorate in Storrs Sunday morning. The male quartet sang. In the evening a large number of the Stedwarders, Storrs, and other friends, including the quartet sang and Mr. Dawson gave a short talk. Coffee was served and the end of the meeting and church was much appreciated.

Fraternity Day.

At Ye Olde Tyme Tea Room on Thursday it was Fraternity day. Members of the College Shakespearean society and the Lambda Sigma were present. The ladies' circle is very much pleased with the profits of the sale of hot frankfurter sandwiches, cheese soups, hot buttered rolls, lettuce sandwiches, chocolate layer cake, caramel layer cake, coffee, etc.

Afternoon Cards.

The Bridge club met at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday afternoon.

Reception For Pastor.

A reception was given on Friday evening in the church to give the members of the Storrs community a chance to meet the new pastor, Rev. Marshall Dawson. A few words of welcome were spoken in behalf of the new pastor by the Rev. J. B. Lewis, President L. B. Beach, and of the Sunday school and Christian Endeavor society by A. J. Brundage. Mr. Dawson then gave a short talk. Rev. Marshall Dawson, President and Mrs. E. D. Beach, Mrs. H. D. Newton and Mrs. H. D. Edmonds were seated in the church parlor where ice cream and coffee were served. The decorations were under the charge of George Frasier. The church was decorated with flowers. The production of The College Widow.

HEBRON

Friends Surprise Fred Burnham on 62nd Birthday—Agricultural Meeting.

About 60 of Fred Burnham's friends gave him a surprise on his 62nd birthday. The party was held at the home of the host, Fred Burnham, and was a most enjoyable affair. Refreshments were enjoyed.

Miss Josephine Hart and a friend visited her parents at Montville last Saturday.

Miss Helen Gilbert has returned to her home in Hebron.

Miss Mary Lord and her horse from Norwich last Sunday.

David Strong lost a valuable horse last week.

Mrs. Harold J. Cummings was taken to the private hospital at Willimantic last week.

Will Reubens and family are soon to move to Amston, where he will open the blacksmith shop.

Library Whist.

The library whist, the last of the season, was held Monday evening with a small attendance.

The Jewish people will have an agricultural meeting in the town hall, A. man from Storrs will address them. There will be several speakers.

There were ten young people taken into the church last Sunday morning. Others will join later.

George Little assisted by Howard Porter, in new pump and tank in the Congregational church dining hall last week.

There is a case of measles in the south part of the town, and scarlet fever in the north part.

SOUTH COVENTRY

Rev. Mr. Baker occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday.

Mrs. Addison Kingsbury has gone to Florida with Mrs. Gardiner and her daughter, who have lately been living with Mrs. Kingsbury.

Mrs. Helen W. is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Casady in Foxtonville, N. Y.

Clara Carrier and family are moving to Bristol.

Employed by the New Department company.

W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. M. M. Colburn this week.

Frank O. Boynton has a new milking machine in use in his dairy.

BOLTON NOTCH

W. E. Rice and Mrs. M. E. Howard were Hartford visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Von Leck and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. Amel Von Leck were in West Hartford, Wednesday, to attend the funeral.

Sudden Death of Mike Petrovich—Personal Mention.

Miss Edith Cushman of Stafford Springs and Mrs. Edwin Cushman and daughter, Sylvia, of Westford, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Cushman.

Mrs. William Downs and daughter, Linnie, of West Willington, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amel.

Mike Petrovich, 38, died suddenly at his home near Tinkerville Sunday evening. He was 38 years old and leaves his wife and six small children.

The funeral was held at St. Edward's church, Stafford Springs, Wednesday at ten o'clock with burial in St. Edward's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Converse, Miss Blanche Converse of the glass factory, Miss Minnie Fuller, Mrs. C. Fuller and Mr. Eugene Fuller of Mansfield, were visitors at M. Cushman's Sunday.

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al of J. M. Von Leck's daughter, Carrie.

Dr. M. M. Maine was in Stonington to attend the funeral of his brother, Dr. C. O. Maine.

Mrs. Loren Maine and Mrs. E. A. Shaw were in Hartford Friday.

Mrs. Maud Woodward and Miss Mabel Howard went to New York Monday.

WILLINGTON

Reception For Rev. Mr. Parker and Wife—Interest in Basketball.

A day without a snow storm would pass very quickly.

Fred M. Preston writes from Pine Castle, Florida, of his garden where all the usual early vegetables have a good start and are growing finely.

Mrs. Anna Hansen Stevenson, a pupil at the Potter district school, is a few years short one of the bright prominent in Women's suffrage work in New York city and in the Suffrage Training school there. She hopes to come to Willington to speak for suffrage in due time.

Another wintry Sunday, yet there were few at the church and a good attendance at the preaching service.

On account of the bad weather that prevented the attendance of many at the church, the time of the contest will be extended. Several new members have been gained by the work of the church. Next Sunday will be Boys' Sunday with special interesting features.

Reception at the Church.

There was a reception for Rev. Mr. Parker and Mrs. Parker at the church, Thursday evening, the 9th.

Rev. A. B. Coates, D. D., Rev. Shered Soule of Hartford, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Darrow, and Rev. Leonard Smith of Spring Hill, were present.

The regular grange meeting was held Friday evening.

All the young men and boys are greatly interested in basketball.

BOLTON

William B. Trowbridge spent the week end in Willimantic.

Patrick Deane, who has been ill with the grip is much improved.

Mr. Daly is with his sister, Mrs. Eliza E. Daly.

A young child of Mr. and Mrs. Domine Bertini was sick the first of the week.

Calir Landi on the Ellsworth Loomis farm in South Bolton is conducting a store which he recently started.

All of the old mill race at the local post office last week Friday had to be counted, and a record of each class received in the separate pouch and sacks made.

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